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For: AN ELECTRONIC BILL PAYMENT SYSTEM WITH ACCOUNT RANGING

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

[X] No additional fee is required.

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[X] Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-0429, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Official Action dated August 31, 1999, the time for response to which is up to and including November 30, 1999.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 4-5, 9, 14, and 19-20 as follows:

(Amended) The computer implemented remittance payment process wherein the information includes a payor name and claim' address data, and further comprising the steps of: